OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY DATED 19TH APRIL 1969.

1 Plague.

The State remained free from plague during the week as in the previous week. Comparative figures for the corresponding week during 1967 and 1968 were nil attacks with nil deaths and nil attacks with nil deaths respectively.

2 Smallpox.

A total of 7 attacks with one death from smallpox was reported from the entire State, *viz*, from taluks of Jamkhandi, Bagalkot and Chikodi as against 49 attacks with 12 deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year. As a preventive measnre 10,270 vaccinations have been done.

3 Cholera.

A total of 16 attacks with 7 deaths from cholera was reported for the entire State viz., from the taluks of Tiptur, T. N. Pura, Mysore, Hunsur, Nanjangud and Deodurg during the week as against 311 attacks with 38 deaths reported during the corresponding week of last year. As a preventive measure 33,135 anti- cholera inoculations have been done.

4 K. F. Diseases.

A total of 13 attacks with nil deaths from K. F. Disease was reported from Shimoga district, as against 15 attacks with nil deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

5 (a) Yellow fever, Relapsing fever, infectious hepatities and influenza.

The State remained free from yellow fever, relapsing fever and influenza in epidemic form as against nil attacks with nil deaths during the corresponding week of the previous year.

(b) 7 cases with nil deaths from infectious hepatites have been reported from Military Hospital, Bangalore, District Hospital, Chickmagalur and K. M. C. Hospital, Hubli during the week under report as against 10 attacks with nil deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

(c) Dengue and Haemmorragic fever.

The State remained free from Dengue and Haemmorragic Fever during the week as in the corresponding week of the last year.

6 City and Corporation.

The total mortality for Bangalore City Corporlation amounted to 337 (110 in hospitals) for the week as against 269 (101 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 17.2 (11.6 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 13.8 (8.6 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 23 were due to other fevers, 28 due to dysentery and diarrhoea 12 due to consumption and 274 due to all other causes, as against 17 due to dysentery and diarrhoea 9 due to consumption and 243 due to all othe causes, reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality for Mysore City amounted to 87 (45 in hospitals) for the week as against 75 (21 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 17.4 (8 4 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated as against 15.0 (10.8 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the previous year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 14 were due to other fevers, 5 due to dysentery and diarrhoea and 68 due to all other caures against one was due to cholera, 13 due to other fevers, 5 due to dysentery and diarrhoea, 5 due to consumption 51 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality of Belgaum City amounted to 29 (18 in hospitals) for the week as against 29 (16 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 9.8 (3 7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated,) as against 9.8 (4.4 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week for the past year. Classified according to causes of deaths, one was due to typhoid, one due to consumption and 27 due to all other causes, as against 5 due to consumption and 21 due to all other causes reported duringd the corresoponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality of Mangalore City amounted to 11 (8 in hospitals) for the week as against 11 (4 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 3 4 (1.0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated as against 3.4 (2.2 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 2 due to other fevers and 9 due to all other causes as against one due to typhoid and 10 due to all other causes reported during the correspon ding week of the previous year.

The total mortality for K. G. F City amounted to 39 (39 in hospitals) for the week as against 19 (18 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 12 5 (nil excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 6.1 (nil excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 2 were due to other fevers, 3 due to dysentry and diarrhoea and 34 due to all other causes as against one was due to cholera, one due to typhoid and 17 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

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